



## Irene Vernon

December 2, 1921 - January 6, 2008

Irene F. Vernon, 86 year-old resident of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, died January 6, 2008, at Washington Regional Medical Center, Fayetteville, Arkansas. Born December 2, 1921 in Pollard, Kansas, she was the daughter of Carl Daniel Willms and Esther C. Worth Willms. She owned and operated Crystal Beauty Salon in El Dorado, Kansas, and Vernon's School of Cosmetology in Wichita, Kansas. She was a member of many Women's Golf Associations, the Kansas Hair Fashion Committee and the Kansas Cosmetology Association. She and Bill Vernon were married in 1946 at the home of her parents in Geneseo, Kansas. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Irene was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Mary Susan Maddux. Survivors include her husband Bill of the home; five daughters, Vaudine Maddux and husband Terry of Ellworth, Kansas; Carla Molhoek and husband Will of Derby, Kansas, Patricia Mauzey and husband Kenny of Arkansas City, Kansas, Marsha Vernon of Springdale, Arkansas, and Colleen Jones and husband Ward of Siloam Springs, Arkansas; 10 grandchildren; and 8 great grandchildren. Visitation will be 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 8, 2008, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Memorial services will be 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 9, 2008, at First Presbyterian Church, Siloam Springs, Arkansas, with Rev. Breck Castleman officiating. A memorial fund has been established at First Presbyterian Church, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.



# Tribute Wall

JP

“ You have all been in my thoughts and prayers! May God grant you peace and serenity and the ability to focus on all the wonderful memories you shared with your mom, grandma, and spouse! My love to all of you!

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**Jeanie Padron** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

NK

“ Colleen and family, I was sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. One is never prepared for the loss of a parent. Just want you to know we are thinking of you during this time. In time, may God replace your tears with the precious memories you will always have!  
/Nora & Bob

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**Nora Krein** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

BM

“ Bill, Vadine, Carla, Pat, Marsha and Colleen. We are thinking of you in this hour of your sorrow. We will miss her too. Thinking of you all and have you in or prays and thoughts.  
Mary thinks of when you were small and growing up togehter and all the things that you did together; babysitting, road trips and school. We feel your loss and diffently feel we lost someone near and dear. May God be with you in this hour and comfort you in thoughts and spirit.

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**Bob & Mary McCaslin** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

MS

“ Irene was a wonderful friend. I enjoyed her very much and have great memories of church gatherings with both her and Bill. She will be missed - even from Ireland.

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**Mary Frances Edwards & Dana Snodgress** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

CB

“ *I'm sorry for your lose. We are praying for you!*

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**Camille Beckman** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

EA

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.*

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**Eric and Stacy Anderson** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

PO

“ *I will never forget that smile she would give you and the twikle in her eye right after she sent a zinger your way.*

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**Pete Onstott** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

CL

“ *Irene was truly a lovely, sweet lady whom I will miss. My prayers are with Bill and all the family in your loss.*

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**Cheryl Lawlis** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

LJ

“ *Hello Vaudine, Terry and Family,  
Just wanted to let you know all of you are in our thoughts and prayers in your time of sorrow.  
It is never easy to lose a parent and the only thing that eases the pain is time and all the wonderful memories.  
In Sympathy,  
Linda Janssen*

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**Linda janssen** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

MK

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

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**Mike and Susan Keith** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

JB

“ Terry and Vaudine,  
I just want you to know how sorry I am about the loss of your mom.  
Vaudine,  
I know how special your mom was to you and that she will be  
greatly missed. I'm so glad you were able to be with her last week.  
You are in my prayers. May God bless you and hold you near at this  
difficult time.

Janese

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**Janese Base** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

JF

“ Vaudine, Terry and Family,  
I know this is a very hard time for all of you, but God is good and will  
help you through. You all have so many good memories with your  
mother, grandmother, and friend that you can draw on those for your  
comfort. My thoughts and prayers have been with you this past  
week and will continue in the future.  
May God keep and bless you. Paula

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**James Farley** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

BK

“ Thinking of all of you at this difficult time. You are in our prayers.  
May the Lord comfort you.

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**Bob kepka** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

DB

“ We're going to miss Irene's sweet smile as she enjoyed taking walks down the street in front of our house. She was loved by our MK guest (Amber) who lived in our home for a few months. Her smile and friendship also touched Gracia Burnham who enjoyed getting to know her. Last time Gracia was here she made sure she got to see Irene and Bill in their home and always enjoyed her visits with them. They are both easy to love. We will miss Irene.  
Ps. 18:30a..... "As for God, His way is perfect!"

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**Diane Boring** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

CY

“ Irene was instrumental and a very valued person in my upbringing. I spent a lot of time with Bill and Irene while growing up and playing golf at Dawn Hill. I always thought very highly of Irene and she was always so supportive of me. Both Irene and Bill taught me a lot of life's lessons and how important family is in our lives. She will be missed very much and I wish Bill and her family well during this difficult time.

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**Craig Young** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

DR

“ Vaudine and Terry,  
We are thinking about you and praying for you. You have always been a blessing to me and have supported me in so many ways. Please know how much you mean to me, our family, and to this community. May God hold you in the palm of his hand.

*David Rankin*

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**David Rankin** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

AK

“ Vaudine and Terry, you are in my thoughts and prayers. What a shock this is for you. She will live in your hearts forever.  
Hang in there,  
Agnes

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**Agnes Kepka** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

JF

“ Bill,  
  
You and Irene are such inspirations to us. We will cherish our memories of her always.

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**John and Mary Filer** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

WB

“ Our thoughts are with. May God's peace be with you and yours.

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**Wade and Ginger Bruning** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

RB

“ I am sorry for your loss. Your family is in our prayers.

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**Rex Boley** - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

LM

“ Vaudine, you & all of your family are in my thoughts & prayers today especially as it is almost time for the memorial service. May God be with all of you at this sad time. You have talked many times about your parents, & it was plain for me to see that you have a special relationship with them. We miss you here at EES, & we will be glad to have you back again, but we want you to be with your family as long as you want & need to be. God bless & keep you in His care. With love, thoughts, & prayers,  
Linda Manning

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Linda Manning - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM

C&

“ Terry and Vaudine and family,  
You're in our thoughts and prayers.  
Keep your memories close.

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Cynthia & Ted - September 19, 2012 at 12:01 PM



“ You are all in my thoughts.

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